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MEMORANDUM FOR: TALENT Control Officer, U. S. Air Force

SUBJECT: Emergency Courier Authorization

REFERENCE: [redacted] 13 May 1958

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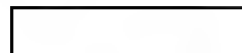
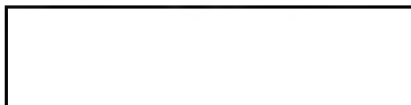
1. Reference is made to your current request for authorization to designate Captain Harvey H. McCollester, AFCIN-3 as an Air Force emergency officer courier for the exchange of TALENT materials between certain Air Force installations within the Washington Area.
2. It is somewhat contrary to the established policy to grant individuals TALENT courier authorization within the Washington Area other than for emergencies and/or for couriering current "working papers" since there already exists a regular approved TALENT courier system between all TALENT Centers in the Washington Area.
3. Authorization is granted for Captain Harvey H. McCollester, AFCIN-3, to act as an emergency TALENT courier between Air Force TALENT Centers in the Washington Area provided he complies with all Air Force requirements for Officer-courier authorization.
4. It should be pointed out that from a security viewpoint the practice of a single individual, unarmed and unaccompanied, couriering large amounts of highly classified material or classified trash is dangerous.
5. The CIA/TSO concurs in the request for Captain McCollester to be designated as an authorized recipient of TALENT materials, same to be stored within the TALENT Center - AFCIN-3, Temp U Building, Washington, D. C. It is suggested that an alternate

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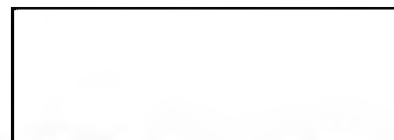
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recipient also be designated should Captain McCollester not be available. Signatures of authorized recipients should be on file at TALENT Control Headquarters, HTA.

6. The forty-two cases (3500 lbs.) of TALENT material designated for AFCIN-3 will be delivered on the 29th of May as requested.

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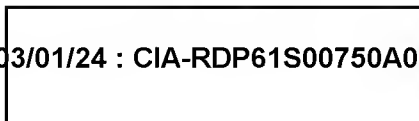
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MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR, CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

ATTN: [REDACTED] TSO

SUBJECT: Designation of Courier and Recipient

Request Capt. Harvey H. McCollister, AO 691381, AFCEM-3
be designated an authorized courier for TALENT materials.

Further request he be designated an authorized recipient
to receive and store TALENT materials within AFCEM-3.

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TALENT Control Officer, USAF